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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of	:	
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Carl Christian Fels et al	:	Group Art Unit: 1753
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Serial No.: 10/790,365	:	Examiner: Edna Wong
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For: IRON-PHOSPHORUS ELECTROPLATING BATH AND METHOD

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED 25 AUGUST 2008**

VIA EFS  
M/S AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This Reply is filed in response to the Office Action mailed from the Patent Office in the above-identified application on 25 August 2008 for which a three month period for response was given. Accordingly, this paper is timely filed with a one month extension, the petition and fee for which are submitted herewith.

Consideration of the application and the claims on the merits are requested in view of the Amendments to the Claims starting on page 2 of this paper, and the Remarks beginning on page 5 of this paper.